

California Department of Corrections INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

Subject: AVAILABILITY OF NINE NEW HEALTH CARE SERVICES FORMS

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The purpose of this Informational Bulletin is to officially announce the availability of nine new California Department of Corrections' (CDC) Health Care Services Division forms. These forms were created to support the implementation of the Chronic Care Program that is outlined in the Inmate Medical Services Policies and Procedures (*Plata v. Davis*).

The Chronic Care Program is designed to identify inmates with chronic health conditions and to provide medically necessary health care services. The Department provides the following chronic care clinics:

- Cardiovascular
- Diabetes Mellitus
- General Medicine (multiple chronic conditions not covered by other clinics, e.g., Arthritis, Hepatitis, Peptic Ulcer Disease, Colitis)
- Gynecology
- Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)
- Pulmonary Disease
- Seizure Disorder
- Tuberculosis (TB)

At a patient's initial chronic care visit, a physician completes an Intake Evaluation Form. Subsequent visits are documented on an appropriate Chronic Care Visit form. All Chronic Care Program forms are filed in the Yellow-Right, Death Summary/Problem List/Progress Notes/ER Records section of the Unit Health Record (UHR).

Effective upon receipt of this bulletin, these forms may be ordered from Prison Industry Authority on a CDC Form 1853, Reproduction Order.

Each new form is one-sided, printed on 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 11", white bond paper, and available in sets of 500.



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New Chronic Care Forms:

CDC 7394 (03/03), Cardiovascular Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7395 (03/03), Diabetes Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7396 (03/03), General Medicine Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7397 (03/03), Gynecology Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7398 (03/03), Human Immunodeficiency Virus Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7399 (03/03), Pulmonary Disease Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7400 (03/03), Seizure Disorder Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7401 (03/03), Tuberculosis Chronic Care Intake Evaluation

CDC 7402 (03/03), Chronic Care Follow Up Visit

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